

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, )  
 )  
Plaintiff, )  
 )  
v. )  
 )  
RONALD LOUIS TRICE, )  
 )  
Defendant. )

INDICTMENT CR 12-96 RHK/JSM

(18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1))  
(18 U.S.C. § 924(c)(1)(A))  
(18 U.S.C. § 924(e)(1))  
(21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1))  
(21 U.S.C. § 841(b)(1)(B))  
(21 U.S.C. § 853(a))  
(28 U.S.C. § 2461(c))

THE UNITED STATES GRAND JURY CHARGES THAT:

COUNT 1

(Possession With Intent to Distribute Controlled Substances)

On or about March 9, 2012, in the State and District of Minnesota, the defendant,

RONALD LOUIS TRICE,

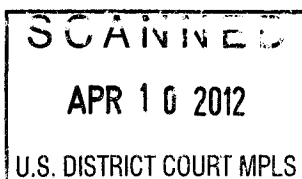
did unlawfully, knowingly and intentionally possess with intent to distribute 28 grams or more of mixtures and substances containing detectable amounts of cocaine base, commonly known as crack cocaine, mixtures and substances containing detectable amounts of cocaine hydrochloride, commonly known as powder cocaine, and quantities of marijuana, all controlled substances, in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Sections 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(B).

COUNT 2

(Using, Carrying and Possessing a Firearm During and in Relation to, and in Furtherance of, a Drug Trafficking Crime)

On or about March 9, 2012, in the State and District of Minnesota, the defendant,

RONALD LOUIS TRICE,



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during and in relation to a drug trafficking crime for which he may be prosecuted in a court of the United States, that is, the crime set forth in Count 1 of this indictment which is hereby realleged and incorporated herein by reference, did unlawfully and knowingly use and carry a firearm, that is, a Sig Sauer, Model P250, nine millimeter semi-automatic pistol, serial number EAK076719, and in furtherance of such crime, did knowingly and unlawfully possess said firearm, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(c) (1) (A) .

COUNT 3

(Felon in Possession of Firearms)

On or about March 9, 2012, in the State and District of Minnesota, the defendant,

**RONALD LOUIS TRICE,**

having previously been convicted of crimes punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, that is,

Crime & Date Committed (On or About)	Place of Conviction	Date of Conviction (On or About)
Possession of Cocaine In or about 1993	Cook County, Illinois	January 5, 1994
Felon in Possession of a Firearm November 23, 1996	Cook County, Illinois	February 11, 1997
Manufacture/Delivery of Cocaine October 24, 1997	Cook County, Illinois	April 2, 1998



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Terroristic Threats July 6, 2003	Ramsey County, Minnesota	November 12, 2003
Third Degree Sale of Cocaine September 26, 2006	Ramsey County, Minnesota	December 21, 2007

did knowingly and unlawfully possess, in and affecting interstate commerce, two firearms, that is, a Sig Sauer, Model P250, nine millimeter semi-automatic pistol, serial number EAK076719, and a Ruger, Model P85 MKII, nine millimeter semi-automatic pistol, serial number 304-07446, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 922(g)(1) and 924(e)(1).

**FORFEITURE ALLEGATION AS TO COUNT 1**

If convicted of Count 1 of this indictment, the defendant,

**RONALD LOUIS TRICE,**

shall forfeit to the United States any property constituting, or derived from, any proceeds he obtained, directly or indirectly, as the result of such violation; any property used, or intended to be used, in any manner or part, to commit, or to facilitate the commission of such violation; and any substitute for such property



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under Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p); including, but not limited to, \$10,443.00 in United States currency, a black Sentry safe, serial number BR-896259, a gray Sentry safe, serial number BR-869933, a Sig Sauer, Model P250, nine millimeter semi-automatic pistol, serial number EAK076719, a Ruger, Model P85 MKII, nine millimeter semi-automatic pistol, serial number 304-07446, and numerous gun accessories and rounds of ammunition, all pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853.

**FORFEITURE ALLEGATION AS TO COUNTS 2 and 3**

If convicted of either of Count 2 or 3 of this indictment, the defendant,

**RONALD LOUIS TRICE,**

shall forfeit to the United States any firearms, accessories and ammunition involved in or used in connection with such violations including, but not limited to, a Sig Sauer, Model P250, nine millimeter semi-automatic pistol, serial number EAK076719, a Ruger, Model P85 MKII, nine millimeter semi-automatic pistol, serial number 304-07446, and numerous gun accessories and rounds of ammunition, all pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(d)(1), and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c).

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UNITED STATES ATTORNEY

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